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# GIRLS' 4-H CLUBS

Club Work Is Glorifying the Iowa Farm Girl

Edited by Clara Austin



## Veishea to Hold a 4-H Day

VEISHEA! Those three glorious days! And Friday is the most glorious of all, for that is 4-H Day.

Of course we want all you 4-H girls to come to Ames that day and wouldn't you like to know what is going to happen? After registering at Morrill Hall and asking questions to your hearts desire, you will want to see the big parade. It is really better than any circus and much more educational.

At eleven o'clock the 4-H girls have a mass meeting in Great Hall of Memorial Union. Here you will meet Miss Fisher, Dean of Home Economics, the State officers, and some outstanding 4-H girls of the Campus 4-H Club. As a special feature, one chorus of the Veishea Night Show will be given.

In the afternoon you will want to go through Home Economics Open House. There you will see the latest in styles, learn how to make a block print, realize the value of standard products in foods, and distinguish between the proper and improper ways to furnish your home. And you couldn't miss out on that cherry pie with whipped cream!

Although we feel that the 4-H girls of Iowa know a great deal about foods, clothing and home furnishing, one can always find something more beautiful than she has ever seen before, and the 4-H'ers are always growing and "making the best better."

## Hurrah! Get Ready for Convention

It won't be many weeks before 1500 Iowa 4-H Club girls will be packing their bags for the annual convention. This year the convention will start June 17 and close June 20.

Any girl who has attended one of the previous conventions will not need to be urged to come again, but a girl who has never been to the convention before will get one of the biggest thrills of her 4-H experience.

Unfortunately, registration must be kept to 1500 so any girl may consider it a privilege to represent her club and her county for those three days next June.

Mrs. Edith Barker, who is in charge of the state-wide chorus and orchestra, says she is hoping for a splendid response from the counties who have been represented in the orchestra and chorus before, and also from those counties who have

not had a delegate in either of the two groups. "Organization is needed," Mrs. Barker says, "to make the 1931 orchestra and chorus a success." So it will be necessary for you to send in your name if you want to join either of these state-wide musical organization.

Then, too, the county delegation should be organized because each girl has a definite responsibility to her club and to her county.

## Another 4-H Girl Makes Good

One of Iowa's best-known 4-H girls is now doing extension work in Virginia. Esther Sietmann Brucklacker, who was state president in 1927 and who represented Iowa at the National Club Camp in Washington, D. C., that year, is now a home demonstration agent in Virginia.

Esther was formerly a student at Iowa State and was active in the College 4-H Club as well as in many other organizations. During the summers she worked with club camps and fairs throughout the middle west.

## Job for Girls

By Hazel Rawson Cades

SPRING quarter is the time of "job seeking" when the seniors are beginning to realize that maybe they aren't so anxious to graduate after all.

But there really isn't any reason to worry about one's job. For some, it means marriage and homemaking. For others a commercial job only temporarily, as a stop-gap to matrimony. There is nothing disgraceful in such an attitude, provided you admit it and do not expect too much from the position. However, a great majority of the girls of today wish to work hard and make their jobs the important thing in their lives. The essential thing for them to remember is that with their job they may spend a large proportion of their time, so they must consider well whether it promises to be the sort of companion and stimulus their spirit needs.

When you choose a job, you have to consider more than the fact that you think you might like it. There are three general questions that it is well to ask yourself:

1. What are the facts about the job? Find out all you can about the pros-

pective position before you accept it. In other words, find out the plain facts underneath the glamor.

2. What qualifications does it demand, and have you these qualifications? Different jobs call for different qualifications. Some demand special training or special creative ability. Others require qualities that can be acquired if you really want to acquire them. But the question to ask yourself is whether you prefer to choose a job in which you can develop your special training or talent, or to try to adapt yourself to a job which you are less well fitted.

3. What return does it offer, and will it satisfy you? Often a girl is influenced by the fact that the less pleasant job is more remunerative and that she needs money. However, to succeed in some jobs



it is necessary to begin at a very low salary and work upward.

All girls seeking prospective jobs should study not only those positions which exist, but also conditions which may make new ones possible. It becomes increasingly clear, not only that all the jobs have not been filled adequately, but also that they have not even been named. There is plenty of chance for twentieth century pioneers.

Reviewed by Anafred Stephenson